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Center for Career Development

Twenty facilitators and detailers will be on hand for a series of workshops, to be held April 16-20. The workshops are intended to educate Sailors about issues ranging from retention-team-best-practices to professional selling skills. All Sailors E-1 to O-4, staying in the Navy



or separating are encouraged to attend. Don't miss this opportunity to plan your future. Call ext. 1535.

Sunday deadline for income taxes

The Naval Legal Service Office Tax Center will stay open for appointments from 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. April 12, 13, and 16. Please call the Tax Center ahead of time at ext. 2758 for an appointment. The deadline for filing returns overseas is not until June 15, but taxpayers who owe tax on their returns will be charged interest



from April 16 until the tax is paid. The Tax Center will resume normal hours on April 17, until the end of tax season on June 15. The Post Office will empty all mail boxes at midnight.

Running of the bulls guidance

All hands are reminded COMNAVACTSPAINNOTE 5800 prohibits all military attached to COMNAVACTSPAIN from participating in the "Running of the Bulls" celebration.



"Observation is OK, but participation is prohibited," said Cmdr. John L. Buckles, executive officer, Naval Station, Rota.

Violation of this order may be punishable by NJP or Trial by court-martial for violation of article 92, failure to obey a lawful general order. Punishment could result in 45 days restriction and extra duty, cut in pay and allowances up to two

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Water restrictions April 23 - 25

Public Works will be isolating the incoming water supply to the base from the Spanish Water Confederation, April 23 - 25, to connect a new filtration plant to the base's main water supply. The base water supply will be supported by potable water storage tanks, so water supply will be limited to only several days of

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Spanish employees back to work after week-long strike

JOC Jon McMillan
Rota Coastline

More than 1,000 Spanish base employees returned to work this week after participating in a week-long strike that forced the closure of four on-base restaurants and the cancellation or reduction of many base services.

The Spanish base employees held the week-long strike to focus attention on their year-long plight to recover some of the purchasing power

they lost after the Spanish government changed their tax laws in January 2000 and began taxing a previously untaxed portion of their salary.

During the week-long strike, the base Security department received seven reports of damage to American vehicles due to thrown rocks, paint or caustic substances. There was also one report of simple assault.



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Vehicle registration and Spanish I.D. customer service was limited to emergencies only last week.

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JAMS gets computers

"It's very difficult to find a webpage that can override the system"

Heather King Navarrete
Rota Coastline

In an effort to make JAMS more appealing to community kids, the youth center has installed five new computers, with internet access.

"We are the flagship of youth centers for Europe, and having computers for kids to use is standard, so without them, we are sub-standard," said Susan Burns, youth coordinator, JAMS. "It's also another draw to get kids to come here and spend their time constructively."

But for coordinators at JAMS, providing this constructive outlet for the children proved to be a challenge.

"If you have a computer, you need to monitor their use," said Burns, "no matter what their age is."

JAMS enlisted the help of Naval Station's Information Systems Department (ISD) to install a pro-

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The Easter Bunny and Saxon Wolf get to know each other at the NSGA Easter Party held at the NSGA commanding officer's house on Saturday.

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THIS WEEK Easter Egg Hunt Seaview Pines Saturday, Apr. 14

11 a.m. for 2 -3 year olds
11:15 for 4-6 year olds
11:30 a.m. for 7-9 year olds



Another Captain's Corner? That's two weeks in a row...what's going on here? Well, I will be brief this week because this is the Command Master Chief's week for an article in the Coastline and I don't want to steal any of his wind. Additionally, I have learned from unpleasant lessons in the past that it's not a good idea to get on the "wrong" side of a Chief Petty Officer!

First, a few comments about our labor dispute, and about last week's general strike in particular. I don't intend to repeat words that I've already provided in another article in this edition of the Coastline (I encourage you to read that article about the strike), so allow me to share a few thoughts. Conducting a legal protest is one way that our local labor personnel (the Spanish civilians working for the U.S. Government here on the base) can voice their frustration, and I support their legal right to protest. My challenge, our challenge, is to keep the labor dispute in the proper perspective, realizing that the dispute results in protests, and the protests result in understandable "strain"

on the community. Despite the labor dispute, we Americans are very fortunate to be working with such a loyal, dedicated and committed group folks. To the Spanish local labor personnel I say, you have my admiration and appreciation.

Second, I want to piggyback on CMDMC Melendez' comments recognizing everyone who participated in and/or helped coordinate the recent Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon. A special round of applause goes to the four recipients of the Helping Hand and Volunteer of the Year awards, as well as Kathy Arcement and Elissa Walters for putting the event together.

Third, my thanks to all who dedicated their efforts to planning and then putting on that fantastic Tiger Day Celebration last Friday. I hope all of you were smarter than I and had the common sense to put on some sunscreen. I know that it took the time and dedication of hundreds of folks to organize Tiger Day, but a few names are worth special mention. They are: CMDMC Melendez (NAVSTA),

CAPTAIN'S CORNER

Capt. R. Noble,
COMNAVACT, Spain



Ms. Candace Myer (FFSC), Ms. Michelle Butler (FFSC), CTT1 James English (NSGA), UT2 Gerardo Garcia (PWD), MA1 David Macias (Security), SM2 Jeffrey Wright (Security), and Senior Chief Dean Joyce (NMCB-40), just to name a few.

Fourth, Naval Station Rota and tenant commands have met the goal of 100% contact for the 2001 Navy and Marine Corps Relief Fund Drive. This year's contributions to date total almost \$65,000, which is a 60% increase from last year's fund drive. My hat is off to all NMCRS Fund Drive representatives, and to all of you who contributed to this very worthy, "family" organization. A special thanks to LTJG Cameron Nelson (NAV OSP) for her time and effort well done!

This past week was a very eventful week for all of us here in Rota. Many of our services were limited due to the strike held by our Local National employees who continue to voice their concerns about the loss of income experienced last year. These are trying times for our Spanish co-workers; I hope this issue is resolved soon and things get back to normal.

The Fleet and Family Support Center hosted the volunteer recognition luncheon to recognize the efforts of many of our volunteers who willingly provide their services community. Over 150 volunteers from the FFSC, NMCRS and The Red Cross were recognized during the event. The honor of being selected as last year's outstanding volunteers in the different categories went to the following deserving individuals: Civilian Helping Hand of the Year - Nancy Callegari (DGF Elementary), Military Helping Hand of the year - PC1(SW) Hector Rivera (NAVSTA Post Office), Civilian Volunteer of the Year - Cathy Holden (VQ2), Military Volunteer of the Year - CTR1(AW/SW) Rafael Ocasio (NSGA).

The event was a great success and I would like to recognize the efforts of the FFSC staff especially Kathy Arcement and Tracey Parker. I would also like to express our gratitude to RADM Sanchez-Barriga for allowing us to hold the event at the Residencia de Suboficiales.

Another great event conducted last week was the 9th annual Tiger Day held on the Friday, the 6th of April.

CMC CORNER

CMDMC(SW) Israel Melendez
COMNAVACT Command Master Chief



This event is conducted to commemorate the Month of the Military Child, and we did it in great style. The weather was fabulous and there were static displays from so many of our commands and organizations here in Rota, including an aerial demonstration of the Harrier Jet, which was provided by the Spanish Navy. Once again the FFSC did a great job putting this together, a special thanks goes out to Candace Myer, Michele Butler, NAVSTA Departments and all tenant commands for their unfailing support. Our children truly appreciated all of your efforts.

Finally, I would like to close with a hearty congratulation to our newly selected Senior Chief Petty Officers. Well done to YNCS (SW) Mark Kesler (NAVSTA), YNCS(AW) Irisa Brown (VQ2), AMCS(SW) Leonard Kowalko (VQ2), DTCS Kevin Burg (NMCB-40) and BUCS Todd Johnson (NMCB-40). You should be justifiably proud of your accomplishment. Please congratulate them, as you see them throughout the base. Duty in Rota, it doesn't get any better than this!

Memorial service for John Millard Jr.

A memorial service for John Millard Jr., husband of Cindy Millard will take place at the base chapel at 11 a.m. on April 16, followed by a reception in Fellowship Hall. In lieu of flowers please send donations to the American Heart and Lung Association.

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Apr. 12, 1971 El Rotando reported: Bugle calls will announce daily events at the Marine Barracks to create a more military atmosphere.

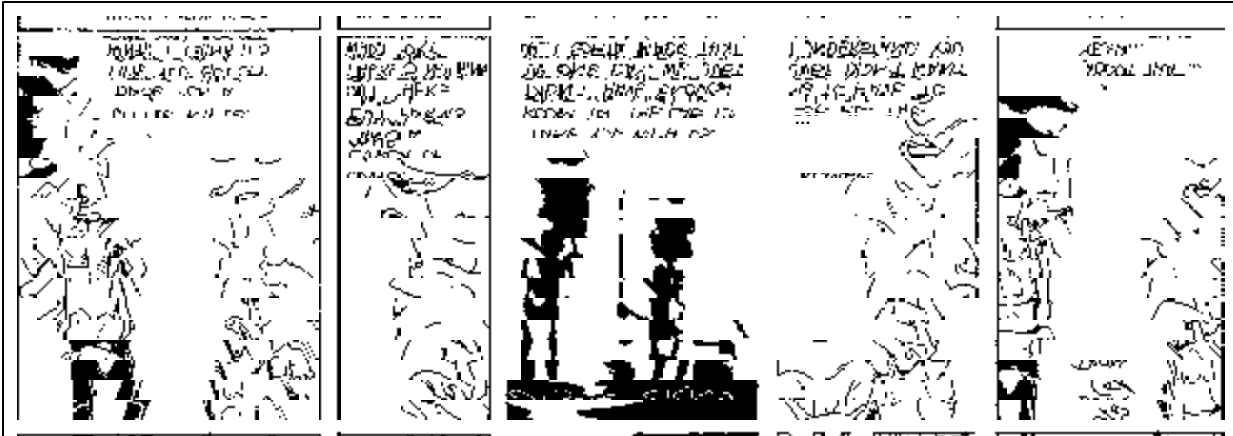
Apr. 10, 1981 Jack Tar reported: Khaki uniforms for women are only available by special order from Brooklyn, N.Y.

Apr. 10, 1992 Coastline reported: DGF sixth graders host the first annual Renaissance Fair.

Apr. 13, 2000 Coastline Reported: Gas prices to rise, may climb to \$1.60 a gallon by summer.

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LETTERS

MWR budget cut woes

This time I really believe we have missed the proverbial boat. I strongly believe the Summer Hire Program should have been salvaged at all costs. One of the issues from the recent IG visit was that we cannot seem to get mid-level/senior people stationed over here because (1) it is difficult for their spouses to find meaningful employment; and (2) high school students are hesitant to give up the chance to either work towards a college scholarship or to be gainfully employed while going to school. Now, how are we going to convince these people to bring their families over here?

We have targeted three specific groups on base: (1) high school students, (2) active duty swimmers, and (3) golfers. On the issue of active duty swimmers, it seems to me that one of the top issues in today's Navy is physical fitness. Think we will have just knocked that down a degree or two by closing the Aquatics Center this summer. The Housing Pool swim hours and location away from the work place will most likely not support the active duty swimmers. Did I also mention that the housing pool is not heated?

I really don't have a problem with increased prices at the golf course. However, I will be upset if the condition of the golf course deteriorates due to decreased care while I am paying increased prices.

Would someone please explain to me why we cannot return to charging a very minimal fee for the on-base movies and the drive in? During these austere times, changes in policy are obviously war-

ranted. And if we all are team players, why can't we pay a minimal fee for these privileges in an attempt to decrease our budget cuts next year?

I believe we could ALL fairly and equitably play our part in trying to help out with the budget cuts.

K. M. Kreyenhagen

DeCA thanks volunteers

During the week of the strike, seven containers of groceries, holding approximately 80-90 pallets of: dry, chilled, and frozen goods, fresh milk, meat and produce were received. LT. Gerry Cruz / Hospital sent an e-mail Volunteer Request asking assistance to stock shelves at the Commissary from all commands. Please extend our appreciation from the U.S. staff at the Rota Commissary to the following individuals for providing the Defense Commissary Agency with outstanding team support on such short notice.

AMC: Rene Falcon, Yesenia Falcon, David Francino, Durrel Wilson; **Security:** Kenneth Kleinschmidt, Thomas Sawyer; **Naval Station:** James Chalmers; **Galley:** Damaso Medel; **NMCB 40:** Chad Taylor, Floyd Price, Daniel Montano, Jeff Winfrey, Nichole Schultz, Reggie Muniz, Scott Teem, **Post Office:** Catherine Comins, Hector Rivera, Angel Rivera, Brent Lough, **U.S. Embassy, Rabat, Morocco:** Paul Bonney, James Bonney, Michelle Bonney. We'd also like to thank all the people we turned down once we had enough help.

Chris Gomez

Store Administrator

RECOGNIZED

NCLC Student of the Month

The Navy College Learning Center (NCLC) would like to congratulate our Student of the Month for March, PC3 Barrington Foster.

During the month, Barrington studied 28 hours and 38 minutes-the most study time of all the students in the center. He has been working on the center's FASTRACK Math curriculum to improve his ASVAB score. He has only been using the center since February, but has shown a lot of hard work and dedication to be one of our top students.

OCSC recognizes Diaz

The Officer's and Civilian's Spouse Club

would like to thank Kim Diaz for her many years of service. Kim serves as liaison between the Spanish and American military communities and is a key organizer for all major social and fundraising events.

Under her direction has donated more than \$200,000 to charitable and civic organizations over the past 11 years.

Champion bean counter

On Tiger Day, Navy Federal Credit Union sponsored a jelly bean counting contest and we are proud to announce our \$50 savings bond winner, 5-year-old Savannah C Tran. NFCU wants to thank all the children for participating in the contest.

SPANISH NEWS

Bishops to expel separatists

Spain's Catholic church is poised to take the unprecedented step of excommunicating members of the armed Basque separatist group ETA, senior church figures have told Spain's *El Mundo* newspaper.

The head of the Spanish Bishops' Council, Cardinal Antonio Rouco Varela, has called a special meeting of the country's 85 most important archbishops and bishops to begin the excommunication process in two weeks' time.

The planned excommunication of the ETA and its gunmen was reported to have the backing of Pope John Paul II.

Excommunication, usually reserved for heretics, has not been used in Spain since 1951, when it was applied to a popular soothsayer in Seville.

In recent years the Catholic church in Latin America has used it against drug cartels and the kidnappers of the entire congregation of a church in Colombia and against kidnapping gangs and torturers in Mexico.

"There is no doubt about the legality of applying excommunication as terrorism is clearly an offence against life and liberty," said Archbishop Jose Manuel Estepa. "We need to atone for the scandal provoked by the fact that

it appears that quite a few ETA members have come from the ecclesiastical community."

Basques are the most intensely religious people in Spain. Forty per cent attend Mass at least once a week. The Jesuits are particularly strong, with the order's founder, Saint Ignatius, hailing from the Basque hill town of Loyola. ETA was founded in the 1960s by a group of people close to the church and at least one priest, Father Jose Ramon Trebino, has been jailed for giving refuge to separatist gunmen.

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Service Person of the Year and Sailor of the Year

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Staff Sgt. Billy Fly, 725th Air Mobility Squadron, was named Commander, U.S. Naval Activities(COMNAVACT), Spain, Service Person of the Year and MA1(SW/AW) Richard Whipple, Naval Station Security, was named COMNAVACTS Sailor of the Year.

Candidates faced a board comprised of four master chiefs, one first sergeant, two senior chiefs, and one chief, said CMDMC(SW) Israel Melendez, COMNAVACTs, command master chief. They were interviewed and asked several questions concerning current events, quality of life, and general military topics. Since the candidates were all service people of the year for Rota commands, the packages submitted were very impressive and made the interviews key to the board's decision, he said.

"What put Staff Sgt. Fly over the top was his answer to the question: What would you tell high school students to encourage them to join the military?" said Melendez. "His answer really stood out."

"I am proud of my country and my flag, that's the reason I joined the Air Force," said



U.S. Air Force
Staff Sgt. Billy Fly



MA1(SW/AW)
Richard Whipple

Fly. "I would tell the students that serving your country is a great honor and privilege. No corporation can offer the pride, responsibility, or teamwork that military service offers."

MA1 Whipple came in second in the Service Person of the year competition and was named COMNAVACTs Sailor of the Year, said Melendez. He will compete for the Commander, U.S. Naval Forces, Europe Sailor of the Year.

"It never would have happened without the support of my chain of command and the hard work of the troops who get the job done here," said Whipple.

More than 250 Rota volunteers honored at luncheon



Nancy Callegari



PC1(SW) Hector
Rivera



Cathy Holden



CTR1(SW/AW)
Rafael Ocasio

More than 250 Rota volunteers were honored and the four top volunteers for 2000 were announced at the Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon held April 4, at the Residencia Suboficiales.

After enjoying a well-prepared meal the volunteers received certificates of appreciation. Capt. Richard Noble, Commander, Naval Activities, Spain then presented plaques and certificates to: Civilian Helping Hand of the Year, Nancy Callegari; Military Helping Hand of the Year, PC1(SW) Hector Rivera; Civilian Volunteer of the Year, Cathy Holden;

and Military Volunteer of the Year, CTR1(SW/AW) Rafael Ocasio.

The Fleet and Family Service Center organized the luncheon and sponsors included: African - American Heritage Committee, Al-Andalus Toastmasters Club, Chief Petty Officer's Association, Fil-Am Levante Club, NEX, OCSC, RAMIC, Rota Music Club, Rota First Class Association, USAA, USPA& IRA.

The event was originally to take place at Reflections but was moved to Residencia Suboficiales due to the Spanish worker's strike.

Navy uniforms now on-line

The Navy Exchange has enhanced their website by adding a link for ordering Navy uniforms on-line. Authorized patrons can order uniforms and accessories over the Internet by using a new link that enables the secure use of credit cards, including the Military Star Card. A tracking feature allows customers, to check the status of their order, and access navy uniform regulations. To access the website, go to: <http://www.navy-nex.com>.

MILITARY NEWS

Space increasingly important to national defense

"Most anyone involved in military operations ... would tell you space is becoming increasingly important," Air Force Gen. Ralph E. Eberhart, U.S. Space Command commander in chief, said in a March 28 interview.

Satellite imagery, missile warning and targeting information that space-based systems provide have proven their military worth to U.S. defense planners throughout the past decade, he said. That data, for instance, contributed to victory during Operation Desert Storm and the 1999 Kosovo air campaign, he noted.

"Look back to how we leveraged our space assets in Desert Storm, compare that to Kosovo — or how we can leverage them even today as we have made advancements since Kosovo - and I think it is obvious how important and how much we rely on capabilities that are resident in our information that moves through space," he said.

Partial GED tests won't compute in January

DoD education officials are warning participants in the GED high-school equivalency program to pass all five of the current GED tests by December or they'll have to start all over in January.

The GED Testing Service's new test battery, coming in January 2002, will not recognize scores from any earlier GED sets, the officials said. Examinees need pass only those tests in subject areas they previously failed or have not attempted.

North Korea still poses a major threat

It's an "exciting" time to be on the Korean Peninsula, Army Gen. Thomas A. Schwartz recently told members of Congress.

"Who would have predicted the amount of dialogue, the cultural exchanges — all the things that are happening?"

The four-star commander of U.N. Command/Combined Forces Command and U.S. Forces Korea highlighted the warming relations since South Korean President Kim Dae-jung and North Korea's Kim Chong-il met last June.

Nonetheless, he warned, North Korea's million active duty soldiers, 1,700 aircraft, 800-ship navy and 6 million reservists remain a major threat to regional stability.

"The key over there right now is our presence," Schwartz said of the 37,000 U.S. troops under his command. When the North looks South and sees 37,000 Americans and 750,000 South Koreans, he said, they know one thing for sure: "They're not going to do anything."



The NMCB FORTY Detachment for Training (DFT) loads earth moving equipment onto a contracted ship. The Seabees are deploying to Albania For Exercise Cornerstone 01 and to build and repair roads in Albania.

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Vanessa Frost takes a turn on the cat walk during the NEX Children's Fashion Show, Saturday.

NMCRS drive nets \$64,545.20 and counting

JO2 Ricky Allen
Rota Coastline

This year's Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society fund drive raised more than \$60,000 dollars in donations and pledges, and NMCRS officials are still counting. Money donated to NMCRS goes into a general fund that helps Sailors and Marines worldwide.

The NMCRS fund drive had 100 percent interaction with the community. "Everyone did a great job, and in the end, a lot of money was raised to help servicemembers and their families when they need it the most," said Karen L. Melvin, director, Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society, Rota.

Last year's NMCRS fund drive raised more \$40,000 dollars. This year's drive increased that by \$20,000. According to Lt. j.g. Cameron Nelson, chairperson of this year's NMCRS fund drive, the community made great strides in this year's fund drive.

"This year was phenomenal. With the community support, and command participation as a

whole, and separate, we have shown that we care about our own. That is what really matters," Nelson said.

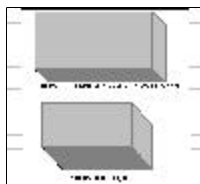
The NMCRS fund drive kicked off Feb. 26 and lasted the entire month of March. There were many events during that time that led to the NMCRS fund drive's success in surpassing last year's amount.

One of these events contributing to that was the Radionthon held Mar. 20-22. More than \$10,000 was raised from the Radionthon alone. Events such as the Sony PlayStation2 raffle also made its mark by raising \$2,200 in donations.

Command participation played a huge role in this year's NMCRS fund drive, with many

of the commands on base contributing more than \$2,000 in donations and several commands who raised more than \$10,000.

Melvin said, "Thanks to everyone who gave their time and donation to the fund drive. We are lucky to have such an exceptional group of people in Rota who care about their fellow shipmates and Marines."



WORK

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"I want to remind everyone that the overwhelming majority of the protesters conducted themselves peacefully, and therefore we must be very careful not to judge all local labor personnel based on the irresponsible actions of a only a very few," said Capt. Rick Noble, Commander, Naval Activities, Spain.

The Comite, a committee representing the base's four labor unions, are in the process of analyzing how effective the strikes were for them.

"The strikes were very, very positive [for us]," said Jesús María Serrano, the acting Comite president and Union spokesman. "The workers demonstrated three things: one, that we were all together; two, our work for the U.S. is absolutely essential; and three, that we caused only minimal inconveniences for the Americans."

Those inconveniences – blocked gates, closed and reduced services – were limited, base officials said, because of a lot of pre-planning, prioritizing and adapting for the absence of almost one-third of the base workforce.

"You cannot lose nearly one-third of your workforce, four-fifths of the local labor personnel workforce, and not be affected," said Noble, "I've emphasized up my chain of command that even though we were able to maintain core mission functions, this was not a painless evolution."

Noble compares the effect of the week-long strike to the effect of a sanitation strike in any large city.

"Although life goes on, it gets less and less bearable with each passing day," he said. "And there is a strong negative impact on the morale and welfare of the community; I'm very relieved that it's over."

This strike was the longest held since Spanish base workers began protesting their loss of purchasing power more than one year ago. Even though the affects of the strike have been reported up the base's chain of command, a solution remains elusive, base officials said.

"The highest levels of the U.S. military are very aware of our labor dispute and are interested in finding a solution to this problem," said Noble. "I will continue to ensure that my chain of command is well informed regarding our issues and how they are impacting the morale and welfare of my workforce," he added.

Noble said he's concerned about the morale and welfare of both the Spanish and Americans who work and live here. He's especially interested in ensuring the working relationship between both groups isn't seriously damaged.

"I need everyone to clearly understand that this labor dispute is not between the Americans here at Rota and the Spanish employees working for the U.S. government here on the base. This labor dispute, and ultimately the solution to this labor dispute, rests at the highest levels of the Spanish and American governments," he said.

"My challenge now is to try to put the pieces back together and pick up where we left off prior to the strike. I need all of my employees pulling together to successfully accomplish my mission here at Rota," Noble concluded.

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Tiger Day, Quality time “on the clock”

Story by Ricky JO2 Allen
Rota Coastline

More than 2,000 people spent a day at the Tow Way Road Friday in celebration of this year's Tiger Day festivities. Static displays from 15 different commands lined both sides of the road to give kids a look at the different jobs in the military.

The day began with kids pulling their parents in line to get lunch during the barbeque at the Galley. Capt. Richard R. Noble, COMNAVACT Spain, officially started Tiger Day with a cake cutting ceremony also held at the galley. Afterwards, the kids were ready for a day of shooting paintball guns, face painting, and anything else they could get their hands on at the Tow Way road. This is where they got a chance to see what their parents did at work.

As CDMC (SW) Israel Melendez, command master chief, Naval Station Rota, cut the ribbon for the beginning of this year's Tiger Day fun run, parents cheered and laughed as they watch their children run down the Tow Way. The fun run was part of the many activities kids had a chance to participate in at this year's event.

The mission of Tiger Day was not only for the kids to see what their parents do at work,

but to give parents a chance to spend quality time with their children. Tiger Day also gave kids a brief look at how the military operates.

"I'm glad I am out of school today because I can be with my dad," said 7 year-old Jeremy Felty.

Many parents seemed to have enjoyed Tiger Day more than their children. "I am happy to be here. The kids are having fun, and got to use their lunch tickets for all the food they wanted," said PN1 Lena Gray, PSD. "I think the parents are enjoying it as well. They get a chance to spend a day with their children."

For Linda Piersol, who brought her granddaughter to Tiger Day, the day was a learning experience. "This is very educational for the children. The kids are really trying to learn what their parents do at work, and they are having a good time doing it," Piersol said.

According to Candace Myer, coordinator of this year's Tiger Day festivities, the commands 'put their best foot forward' in making Tiger Day a success. "Everything went great and we thank all commands and participants who contributed to this year's Tiger Day. We also want to thank everyone that brought their children out to help make this year's Tiger Day a success," said Myer.



Clockwise from top, left: Too much fun. Up, up, and away. Dunked! Briana Caldwell gets a make-over from Pfc. Scott Zouche. Photos by PH1(AW) Ron Heppner and JO2 Ricky Allen.



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Clockwise from top, left: Capt. Richard Noble gets some help. And they're off! Elizabeth Brugger as a tiger. The bubble is bigger than she is! Marshall Navarro trains with BMCM(SWCC) Harold Fannell. Spanish Harrier demo.

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Let love be the law in your life

Do you think that it would be possible to make love a law? I don't know. When I was about five years old I got into a fight with the girl who lived next door. Her name is Patty Ramela. I remember her name because I remember what my mom made me do when she caught us fighting. The worst thing that you could make any five-year old boy do: kiss and make up.

I did it because I had to. But it didn't make me love her.

So when Christians go to church tonight and hear Jesus words, "A new law I give you: love one another" what are they to make of them?

Can we be ordered to love any more than a little boy can be ordered to love a little girl?

I think the key to those words "Love one another" is contained in the words that fol-

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by Chaplain Steve Beyer

low: "as I have loved you, so you are to love one another." I can't do it on my own. Even if I have the desire, I still don't have the ability —until I know what it feels like to be loved! That changes everything, doesn't it? Its not that I have to, it's that I can. I can love, I can care, I can forgive, because I know that God loves me, cares about me and forgives me. We love —we can love— because God first loved us.

Let love be the law in your life. The feelings might not always be mutual, but trying to love is always better than the alternative!

Worship Schedule

Apr. 12	6 p.m.	Roman Catholic Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper
	7 p.m.	Protestant Last Supper Reenactment (Cloister)
Apr. 13	6 p.m.	Roman Catholic Friday Passion and Adoration of the Cross
	7 p.m.	Protestant Good Friday Service (Cloister)
Apr. 14	9 p.m.	Roman Catholic Easter Vigil (Cloister and Chapel)
Apr. 15	7 a.m.	Protestant Easter Sunrise Service (Cloister)
	0900	Roman Catholic Easter Mass
	10:30 a.m.	Protestant Contemporary Service
	Noon	Roman Catholic Mass
	1:30 p.m.	Gospel Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Last Supper Reenactment

Hear the words of Christ and his disciples at the Last Supper as this event comes alive in a reenactment of that final meal. 12 April, 7 p.m. in the Chapel Cloister.

Good Friday Service

You won't want to miss the Good Friday Service as we reflect on the seven last words of Christ on the cross. 13 April, 7 p.m. in the Chapel Cloister.

Easter Sunrise Service

After the Easter Sunrise Service, breakfast is available for \$3.60 at the Galley. Enjoy the fellowship and food.

Potluck, Easter Egg Hunt

Following the Gospel Service, there will be a Potluck and Easter Egg Hunt. Come join the fun, food, and fellowship at the Chapel.

GOOD WORD FOR THE WEEK

The smallest act of kindness is worth more than the grandest intention.

Listen to Chapline every weekday at 7:15 a.m. and 4:15 p.m. on Hot 102.5 FM! Or access them on the web by clicking on "Base Chapel" under the resource section on www.rota.navy.mil.

FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER

call ext. 3232 for information

April is Month of the Military Child, Child Abuse Prevention month and Sexual Assault Awareness month.

Check out the programs and services that support the military child and victims of sexual assault.

SPANISH CLASSES

Registration for Spanish classes will continue until the Spring term begins. April 23, 2001 – May 31, 2001
Beginning: 9:15-10:15
Intermediate: 3:30-4:30
Classes held Monday-Thursday.

PRENATAL SUPPORT GROUP

April 16, 4-5 p.m.

If you're expecting join our group of expectant moms and discuss the concern of pregnancy, living overseas, work and military life. Get support, education, information and referrals. Meet other moms to be!

SMOOTH MOVE

April 19, 12:30-4:30 p.m.

Are you getting ready to make a PCS move? Are you wondering what you can prepare in advance? Our Smooth Move workshop will help you to arrange your move step-by-step. Learn how to apply for travel allowances, plan a relocation budget, get tips from Personal Property, Housing, Customs and more. *See your Command Career Counselor to register.

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Mesón Los Arcos, Restaurante El Cesar, Trinity School

Mesón Los Arcos is a new bar/restaurant in Rota that just opened last week. It is located on Rubén Darío, just behind the Guardia Civil, near the big Supersol. The place is beautifully decorated, down to the last detail. It is owned and operated by Elena and Luis who previously ran the pizzeria that was located just next door. Luis has 20 years of experience in the restaurant business. They have a rather long and varied menu that features things such as pastas, montaditos (little sandwiches), grilled meats and fish, pizzas, hamburgers and sandwiches that include BLTs and chille dogs! Being a cheese lover, I found a couple of offerings of special interest: fried cheese with black current sauce and grilled cheese. Last week I stopped by to sample a few things and I thought these cheeses mentioned were great. The fried cheese is a Camembert and was wonderful. The grilled cheese is provolone that is topped with herbs – just enough to give it some zest, but not so much as to hide the cheese. Both rations are large so if you want to try both, it is better to share. I also tasted the fried rice and thought it very good. They also offer fifteen imported beers and have a special refrigerator for wines that keeps them stored at the right temperature. Stop by **Mesón Los Arcos** and try their offerings; you are sure to find things you like. They have an English menu and are open every day from 9 a.m. until midnight.

The beautiful patio looking out over a pool and garden, at **Restaurante El Cesar** in Vistahermosa is now open for your enjoyment. It's a real pleasure: good food, good service and wonderful weather.

Morning Spanish classes started this week at **Trinity School** in Puerto de Santa María, but due to the holidays, you could still join up next week. On Monday, the 16th evening classes start so you can take your pick. Whatever best fits your schedule. Remember they are closed today and tomorrow so send them an e-mail or give them a call on Monday.

Taller Telas, the sewing shop that advertised last week, has some second hand flamenco dresses in very good condition. The sizes are mainly for children and young girls. **Taller Telas** is located at Alquiladores, 10, near the castle in Puerto de Santa María. Their phone is 956-872124.

While on the subject of Flamenco dresses, you can get them cleaned at **World Ecologic Sec**, the dry cleaner in downtown Rota. In addition to dry cleaning and laundry, they do alterations on clothing and sew on uniform patches.

David Pazos, Foto Sistema, can now print your digital photos and have them ready in one hour. **Foto Sistema** is located just around the corner from Miguel Rent A Car in Rota. Many of you may know him because of his studio portraits.

Once again this year, the Provincial Sports Service of Cádiz (Diputación de Cádiz, Servicio de Deportes) presented the program Nature and Adventure (Naturaleza y Aventura) at **Decathlon** last Friday. The Provincial Sports Service sponsors this program in conjunction with companies that organize sporting activities and sporting good businesses. There are activities in many areas: hiking, mountain biking, canoeing, archeology, mountain climbing, scuba diving and multi-

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adventure to name some of the possibilities. You can get more information by calling the Diputación de Cádiz, Servicio de Deportes at 956 240 168/ 956 240 180/ 956 240 171; fax 956 240 178 or by e-mail deportes@cadiz.org. You can also find brochures at **Decathlon**. **Decathlon** has an excellent selection of sports wear and sport equipment at very good prices.

Remember that **Restaurante La Espuela** in Rota is offering a special menu for 2,000 pesetas per person during the month of April. The menu consists of appetizers, choices for 1st course, 2nd course and dessert, bread and wine. The offer is valid Monday through Friday. **La Espuela** is located at the Club Hípico de Rota; just off the old road to Chipiona (take the first right as you enter Rota via the industrial area), there are signs.

Next time you visit someplace, let me know what you thought. Let's hear from you! Share with others information about your favorite spots and shops. Contact me by e-mail at coastpub@retemail.es, by fax at 956-542997 or by phone at 956-542997 or 607-564132.



Join the Cub Scouts

NMCB-40 personnel gave Cub Scout Pack 280 a tour of Camp Mitchell April 2. Cub Scouts got a first-hand view of the battalion's road equipment and other tools. The pack was also allowed to hold their den meeting there later the same evening.

Cable Radio Stations:

On base, these services are available 24/7 through your cable system. To access this free service, you need a splitter so that you can connect one line can to your TV and the other to your FM tuner/receiver. For more info, call 2386/2121 and ask to speak to an engineer.

Pure Gold	99.0	ZROCK	100.5	Brite AC	102.0
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
DOMINGO	LUNES	MARTES	MIÉRCOLES	JUEVES	VIERNES	SÁBADO
APRIL/ABRIL Sexual Assault Awareness Month MAY/MAYO National Mental Health Awareness Month				12 Holy Thursday (Andalucia Holiday) Civil War begins (1861) PWOC Bible Study 10 a.m., Chapel	13 Good Friday (Spanish Holiday, NAVSTA Holiday) Tiger Day Rain Date 11 a.m - 4 p.m. Thomas Jefferson's Birthday (Born 1743)	14 Check out the Rota Web Site at http://www.rota.navy.mil
15 Easter Personal income tax returns due, call NLSO for overseas extensions E-9 Evals Due	16 School Resumes DGF begins 4th qtr. & 2nd semester Run, walk, bike to work, 1st 30 people receive an Earth Day prize Center for Career Development (CCD) Apr. 16-20 visit to Rota, call 2310	17 Earth Day Exhibit, NEX 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. RAMIC Meets 1 p.m., call 2850 Center for Career Development (CCD) Apr. 16-20 visit to Rota, call 2310	18 DGF Elementary Parent/Teacher Conference (No School) DGF H.S. SAC, 4 p.m., (Library) DGF H.S. Early Release, 2 p.m. Center for Career Development (CCD) Apr. 16-20 visit to Rota, call 2310	19 Smooth Move, 12:30 a.m. call 3232 Anniversary of Oklahoma City bombing (1995) JAB, 9:15 a.m. Chapel Center for Career Development (CCD) Apr. 16-20 visit to Rota, call 2310	20 Earth Day 5K Run Noon, Gym Center for Career Development (CCD) Apr. 16-20 visit to Rota, call 2310	21 U.S. at war against Spain (1898) Flea Market, 9 a.m. - noon, Drive-In, call 2527 Youth Baseball Opening Ceremony/Ribbon Cutting, 9:30 a.m.
22 Earth Day (First observed 1970) Girl Scouts Leader's Day Catholic CCD, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m., DGF, call 2161 Protestant Sunday Night Program, 6 - 8 p.m., DGF, call 2161	23 DGF Book Fair FFSC Parental Support Group, 4 p.m.	24 DGF Book Fair DGF Elem. SAC, 3:30 p.m. Parent Connection Room	25 Secretary's Day DGF Book Fair PWOC Bible Study 12:30 p.m., Chapel Ombudsman Assembly, noon bldg. 1	26 DGF Book Fair PWOC Bible Study 10 a.m., Chapel Take Our Daughters to Work Day (www.takeourdaughterstowork.org)	27 National Arbor Day NAVSTA Wardroom Hall and Farewell Navy League Service Member of the Year Recognition Dinner, call 1680	28 Self Defense Workshop, 2-3 p.m., Expeditions, call 3232 April is the Month of the Military Child
29 Catholic CCD, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m., DGF, call 2161 Protestant Sunday Night Program, 6 - 8 p.m., DGF, call 2161	30 Congress establishes Department of the Navy (1798) FFSC Parental Support Group, 4 p.m.	1 Labor Day (Spanish National Holiday) National Teacher's Day	2 PWOC Bible Study 12:30 p.m., Chapel	3 Rota First Class Association meets the first Thursday every month, call 2522 PWOC Bible Study 10 a.m., Chapel FFSC Sponsor Training, 9:30 a.m. FFSC Resume Writing Workshop, 1:30 p.m.	4 Operation Restore Hope begins in Somalia (1994)	5 Cinco de Mayo (Commemorates Mexican victory against French on May 5, 1862) Last Chance for DGF students to take SATs
6 Catholic CCD, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m., DGF, call 2161 Protestant Sunday Night Program, 6 - 8 p.m., DGF, call 2161	7 DGF English Lit. Advanced Placement Exam FFSC Parental Support Group, 4 p.m.	8 V-E Day (Commemorates Germany's surrender in WWII in 1945) FFSC Women's Development Group Group, 5 p.m. DGF Spanish Advanced Placement Exam	9 FFSC Men's Development Group Group, 5 p.m. DGF Calculus Advanced Placement Exam	10 DGF U.S. History Advanced Placement Exam PWOC Bible Study 10 a.m., Chapel	11 May is National High Blood Pressure Month CAT Team Meeting 10 a.m., Bldg. 1 Conf. Room	12 Check out the Rota Web Site at http://www.rota.navy.mil

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Semana Santa in Sevilla

Photos and story by
PH1(AW) Ron Heppner



It is a great honor to march as a Nazareno or penitent with a brotherhood in a Semana Santa procession.

I had never been to a Semana Santa procession before. After hearing about how famous Semana Santa is in Sevilla I thought, "What the heck? I'll go all the way."

I found out that the first processions of Holy Week are on Palm Sunday (Domingo de Ramos). I had heard that parking is non-existent during Holy Week so I took an early train to Sevilla. At the train station in Sevilla I picked up a map and headed toward the cathedral where all the processions pass by.

I had plenty of time to spare before the first procession began at 1:15 p.m. so I visited several churches where the floats that the brotherhoods carry were displayed. Later, I found out that visiting the floats is the tradition for the locals. While doing this the locals carry olive branches.

Near the cathedral representatives from the El Mundo newspaper handed out really cool Semana Santa guides. The guides had the daily routes, the names of the 60 or so participating brotherhoods, and descriptions of the Nazarenos (the guys with the pointy hats and masks). As the day grew longer concession stands featuring sweets, plastic bugles, miniature Nazarenos, and Nazareno pops, seemed to spring up every where.

Near the cathedral chairs lined the streets and unless you made a reservation, you'll be watching from elsewhere. Since I didn't have a reservation I wandered around for awhile and stopped to watch the Jesus Despojado brotherhood of 400 Nazarenos on a side street.

I had expectations that the processions would be a solemn, almost spooky, kind of experience. I wasn't prepared for what happened. The Nazarenos appeared how I expected them to. But, the crowd in Sevilla wasn't polite and quiet like I expected. In fact, I thought the people were downright rude and disrespectful. People walked right down the middle of the marchers and acted like the procession was an inconvenience to their stroll down the street. I'm surprised I didn't see people climbing over the top of the floats to get where they wanted to be.

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I was further annoyed and disillusioned by people clawing their way through the crowd so that they could tug on the Nazareno's robes and beg for candy. I really didn't expect that the penitents would dole out candy.

I had planned to watch all nine brotherhoods that day but after witnessing one, I decided I had seen enough.

I guess as an American I really don't have much room to talk when it comes to wrecking religious traditions. Actually, I thought Americans had the "tacky" market cornered, but now I know better. In America the Easter Bunny forks over candy, in Sevilla it's the guys with pointy hats.

I'm told that in smaller towns Semana Santa is more dignified, I'll see. Check page 14 for the Semana Santa schedule for Cadiz, Jerez, Puerto de Santa Maria, and Rota.



Out of extreme devotion, some march barefoot .



Anonymous, only the Nazareno's eyes are unexposed.



The floats, hand-crafted from wood, gold, silver and other materials, are carried on the shoulders of marchers.



These Sevillians couldn't be bothered by a 400-members brotherhood.

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Everyone has a cross to bear, but during Holy Week the cliché is taken literally.



Brotherhood attempting to carry on a centuries-old tradition.



Musicians practice year-round for a Holy Week procession.

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Today

? **Photography Exhibition** by Isabel Calvo. Café Pub Blanco y Negro, c/Ricardo Alcon, 10, El Puerto, through April 22. From 5 p.m. to early in the morning.

? **Painting Exhibition** by Antonio Rojas. Centro Cultural "Alfonso X El Sabio", c/ Larga 89, El Puerto, through April 15. Hours: 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Admission: free.

? **Photography Exhibition**. "Fronteras" by Pablo San Juan. Baluarte de la Candelaria, Alameda Apodaca, Cádiz, through April 22. Hours: Mon-Fri, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. Weekends and holidays, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

? **Painting Exhibition** by Chema Cobo. Museo de Cádiz, through April 25. Hours: Mon-Fri, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. Weekends and holidays, noon-2:30 p.m.

? **Painting Exhibition** by Raul Herrera. Centro Cultural "La Victoria", Sanlúcar. Information at 956-366110.

Friday

? **Karaoke Nights at Reflections** Join the fun every Friday and Saturday night from 8 p.m. - closing. Call ext. 2851 or ext. 2617

Saturday

? **Poetry Contest**—Teens 14-17

can submit their poetry entries April 1-15 at the MWR Library.

Sunday

? **Concert**. The Jerez Municipal Band will perform every Sunday at Alameda del Banco, (behind Mac'Donald), Jerez, noon.

? **Puppets**. Group Buho Teatro from Seville presents "La ratita presumida". Alameda del Banco, (behind McDonald), Jerez, 1 p.m.

Monday

? **Concert**. Joan Manuel Serrat in concert. Gran Teatro Falla, Plaza Fragela, Cadiz, 9 p.m. Information at 956-220834.

Tuesday

? **Movie**. "El Cielo Abierto" of Miguel Albadalejo. Salon Cultural Caja S. Fernando, Plaza de las Marinas, Jerez, 9 p.m.

Wednesday

? **Flamenco** "Duquende" will perform at Teatro Falla, Plaza de Fragela, Cadiz, 9 p.m.

Thursday

? **Bingo** at Reflections! Call 2851

Semana Santa 2001 CADIZ						
DÍAS	HERMANADES	PASOS	HORA DE SALIDA	ROTUNDA CRUZ	PLAZA ASUNCIÓN	Catedral CRUZ
Jueves	Oración en el Huerto (Iglesia S. Severiano)	2	18.00	21.00	05.15	
	Atalayas (Iglesia de San Lorenzo)	2	19.45	21.35	05.15	
	Nazarano (Iglesia Convento Concepcionista)	2	21.00	22.10	07.45	
Viernes	Santidad (Iglesia de Santa Cruz)	2	00.00	01.10	06.00	
Méjido	Descendimiento (Iglesia de San Lorenzo)	2	00.00	01.40	05.00	
	Medinaceli (Iglesia de Santa Cruz)	2	01.45	02.15	07.30	
	El Perdon (Iglesia de Santa Cruz)	2	03.30	03.30	09.45	
Viernes	Expiracion (Iglesia del Santo Angel)	2	18.00	20.00	01.00	
	Dolores (Iglesia de S. Lorenzo)	1	18.15	20.00	00.15	
	Sancti Palabras (San Juan de Dios)	1	19.45	21.30	01.55	
	Santo Entierro (Iglesia de Santa Cruz)	2	21.00	21.40	04.00	
	Buena Muerte (Iglesia de S. Agustin)	2	22.00	22.45	02.15	
Sábado	Ecco Mater Tua (Iglesia Santiago)	1	01.00	-	04.15	
	Resurrección (Catedral)	1	12.30	-	15.00	
JEREZ						
DÍAS	HERMANADES	PASOS	HORA DE SALIDA	ROTUNDA CRUZ	PLAZA ASUNCIÓN	Catedral CRUZ
Jueves	Hdad. de la Sta. Veronica (Igl. S. Juan de los Caballeros)	2	18.00	19.55	20.50	21.30
	Spda. Llanada de Ntra. Sr. (Basilica Ntra. Srta. Carmen)	2	19.15	20.30	21.25	00.20
	Ntra. Padre Jesús Orando en el Huerto (Santo Domingo)	2	20.25	21.00	21.55	22.25
	Ntra. Srta. del Mayor Dolor (Parr. San Dionisio)	2	20.00	21.35	22.30	23.00
Viernes	Ntra. Señal de la Salud (Parr. de S. Miguel)	2	02.00	03.15	04.10	04.40
Méjido	Ntra. Padre Jesús de la Sentencia (Capilla de la Vidua)	2	02.00	04.55	05.50	06.20
	Ntra. Padre Jesús de la Via-Cruce (San Francisco)	2	03.00	05.30	06.45	07.15
	Simo. Cristo del Perdon (Ermita de la Guía)	1	03.00	05.00	06.55	07.25
	Ntra. Padre Jesús Nazareno (Capilla S. Juan de Latorre)	1	05.30	06.20	05.15	05.45
	Simo. Cristo de la Buena Muerte (Parr. Santiago)	2	06.00	07.30	06.55	07.25
Viernes	Simo. Cristo de la Exaltacion (Parr. de las Vinas)	2	18.30	19.15	20.10	20.40
	Simo. Cristo de la Expiracion (Ermita de San Telmo)	1	17.00	20.15	21.10	21.40
	Ntra. Srta. de Loreto (Parr. de S. Pedro)	1	18.45	19.30	20.45	21.15
	Santo Entierro de Ntra. Señora (Real Capilla del Calvario)	2	19.15	21.35	22.30	23.00
	Ntra. Srta. de la Soledad (Iglesia de la Victoria)	2	19.35	21.05	22.00	22.30
EL PUERTO DE SANTA MARIA						
Jueves	Humildad y Paciencia (Capilla de la Asunción)	2	18.00	20.00	22.30	01.40
Viernes	Nazarano (Iglesia Mayor Principal)	2	04.00	04.00	05.00	06.00
	Soledad y Santo Entierro (Iglesia Mayor Principal)	1	19.45	20.45	21.15	01.45
	Resurrección (Iglesia Mayor Principal)	1	09.00	09.00	12.00	14.45
ROTA						
DÍAS	HERMANADES	PASOS	HORA DE SALIDA	ROTUNDA CRUZ	PLAZA ASUNCIÓN	Catedral CRUZ
Jueves	Ntra. Srta. de los Dolores (Capilla de la Catedral)	1	19.30	20.30	00.30	
Viernes	Nazarano (Parr. de la O)	2	19.00	02.00		
Méjido	Varicay (Capilla de S. Roque)	2	04.00	05.00		
Sábado	Soledad y Santo Entierro (Parr. de la O)	2	21.30	02.00		

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MEETINGS

Joint Advisory Board

The JAB meets the third Thursday of each month at the base chapel. Come on out and hear from base officials, including COMNAVACTS, CMC, MWR, NEX, PSD, DGF, Supply, Security, NMCRS, NMC, and Housing. Fax your advance questions to ext. 1021 or e-mail coastline@navsta.rotanavy.mil. Everyone is welcome to attend this open forum meeting to have your questions answered and concerns addressed.

Women's Book Club

Like to read? Looking for stimulating conversation? Want someone to talk to about the great book you read last week? Look no further. We are a new addition to the Rota community, and we are looking for interested women to participate in a Book Discussion Club. The next meeting is on Apr. 25 at 7:30 p.m. at La Ibense Heladeria. For more information, contact Christen at ext. 4790, Taj at ext. 4936, Janelle at ext. 4470, or you may e-mail us at rotabookclub@itotal.net.

AAHC meeting

African-American Heritage Committee will be meeting every first and third Friday in the Naval Hospital Galley at 5:30 p.m. Anyone interested is welcome to attend. Call Lt. Cmdr. Willie Davis at ext. 1894 or 3454 for more information.

Tourist Passports

Tourist Passport information is available on the NAVSTA admin web site. The required form can also be downloaded. If users type www.navsta.rotanavy.mil they can access our intranet web page site. Awards can now be done through the web page as well. It is under the "template" section. For now, after you fill out the forms, save it as a file then attach it to the admin email address, provided on the same page. Put your office code in the signature block, so that I will know that you saw the award. Please contact admin through our admin email if you have a problem or specific question.

Naval Station Wardroom

The Naval Station Wardroom is awarding

two scholarships to graduating seniors who are dependents of DOD Civilian or Military personnel assigned to Rota. The scholarships are based on academic performance, extra-curricular and leadership activities, a teacher's or instructor's recommendation, and the presentation package. We would like to emphasize that the scholarship is open to all dependents of DOD Personnel in Rota, whether they attend school at DGF, in the community, or even back in the States. Applications can be obtained from LT John D Brubaker, ROICC Office, x1008, or via e-mail. Applications are due no later than 07 May 2001.

NEX Easter Hours

All NEX locations will be closed this Sunday, April 15, except the Housing Quick Stop which will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Girls Scouts

USA Girl Scouts Rota is in search of a Committee Chairperson. No Girl Scout experience is necessary. Strong administrative, organizational and management skills preferred. Professional training in Germany provided 11-13 May. Appointment is for one year, beginning in June. Contact Dianne Terrell at ext. 4300 or Cathy Holden at ext. 4410 to apply. This position is required in order to have Girl Scouts in Rota!

DeCA Case-Lot Sale

The Rota Commissary's 10th case-lot sale will be April 19, 20, and 21. Items will be priced as marked, save up to 50 percent with coupons, while supplies last.

OCSC Charity Baskets

The OCSC is sponsoring The Charity Baskets for Cancer on the evening of May 5, at th Residencia de Suboficiales. The Themes are: Travel; Baby; Wine; Bath; Garden; Crafts; In the Navy; Fashion; Coffee, Tea and Chocolate Lovers; Romantic Evening; American Pantry; Let's Learn; Italian Gourmet; and Fix Your Car. For more information or to make a donation, contact Kim Diaz @ 956 480046 or cell 616 586845.

Income Tax Deadline

Income tax filing deadline date is Apr. 16, 2001 at midnight. The Post Office will collect all mailboxes at midnight. For more information, contact PCI(SW) Rivera.

Hospital Hours

The hospital will be closed for general operations on Friday, Apr. 13 while observing NAVSTA base holiday. Please plan ahead

and schedule all appointments and routine clinic visits around this date. Emergency services will be available as always. For questions, contact ENS Richard Gilliard, Jr. at ext. 3472.

DGF High School

David Glasgow Farragut High School will release early on Wednesday, Apr. 18 at 2 p.m. For questions, call ext. 4181.

Vet Clinic

The Vet Clinic will be closed Apr. 13- 16, 2001. For questions, call ext. 3149/3236.

Gateway Galley

The Galley will have a special brunch on Easter Sunday, Apr. 15 from 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. The menu will include: Tomato Bouillon, Baked Fresh Ham with Pineapple Sauce, Roast Tom Turkey with Giblet Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Corn O' Brien, Hot Dinner Rolls, Canadian Bacon, Breakfast Steak, Eggs to Order, Assorted Omelets, Hash Brown Potatoes, Pancakes with Strawberry Sauce, Éclairs, Strawberry Shortcake, French Apple Pie, and Ice Cream Bar. Cost is \$3.60.

NFCU Closure

Navy Federal Credit Union will close at noon on Apr. 20, 2001, due to installation of new teller counters. For questions, call Linda at ext. 3187.

NSGA Pre-Deployment Brief

NSGA is holding a Pre-Deployment Brief on Apr. 20 from 8:30 a.m. – noon, at Sea View Pines Park, for all NSGA Deployers, all sponsors, and their families. The brief is designed to ease the strains of separation by providing information and appropriate points of contact for situations that may arise while the member is deployed. Lunch will be provided immediately following the brief. Childcare will also be provided. Questions can be directed to CTI2(NAC) Shiells at ext. 2600.

RAMIC

The Retired American Military Iberian Council (RAMIC) will hold their monthly meeting on Apr. 17 (instead of Apr. 10) due to Holy Week. The meeting will be at 1 p.m. on base. Arrangements for a speaker are incomplete. Retirees are requested to read the RAMIC bulletin board at the Post Office. For more information, contact Lt.Cmdr. J. Stanley, at ext. 2850.

RWF 2001

The Rota's Women's Forum 2001 is looking for teachers for this year's forum on Saturday, Sept. 29, 2001. Seminars are 45 minutes in length. Topics for seminars include but are not limited to: Balance in life, work, school, family, relationships, friends, personal time, beauty, dress, appearance, self-confidence, goals, finances, physical health, spiritual wellness, crafts, and healthy eating. If you are interested in teaching, please contact Tina Turner at ext. 2355 to discuss possible topics. All teachers will be booked by Jun. 6, to be advertised in the Forum's flyer.

TRICARE Europe

TRICARE Europe announces "Tricare for Life," a medical benefit plan for all military retirees and their eligible family members that begins on Oct. 1, 2001. What does this mean to you? If you are over 65, you must enroll in Medicare Part B to be eligible. You must ensure your information in DEERS is up-to-date. The open enrollment season for Medicare ends Mar. 31, 2001. After this time, if you are already over 65, you will not be able to enroll in Medicare Part B until Jan. 2002. To enroll in Medicare Part B, contact the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213 (not toll free from overseas). You can get more information on Medicare from their web site at <http://www.medicare.gov>. Additional information for Life is available at <http://www.tricare.osd.mil/ndaa>.

Overseas Military Sales

Effective immediately, Overseas Military Sales Corporation (OMSC), is waiving the inspection requirement previously necessary to maintain Waxoyl Warranties on all Honda vehicles purchased from 1994 to May, 2001. The company is in the process of trying to locate military personnel that purchased Honda vehicles while stationed in Europe to alert them of this change in procedures. OMSC is the on-base, authorized, independent distributor for Daimler Chrysler, Ford, General Motors, American-made Honda, Harley-Davidson and Buell to overseas military. For assistance with Waxoyl Warranties, customers can call Ben Kivovitz at OMSC's International Warranty department at 516-921-2800, ext. 1862.

NEX Price Matching

The NEX challenges you to find the same item we sell for less within a 50 mile radius on the local economy, in an AAFES Europe ad in the Stars and Stripes, or in one of these catalogs or Internet sites: Sears, JC Penney, Wal-Mart, Service Merchandise, or Sam's Club. Please add shipping costs before you

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Servmart Hours

Uncle Sam's (SERVMART) of NAVSTA Supply Department will be closed for inventory from Apr. 16 - 20, and will re-open on Monday, Apr. 23. Sorry for the inconvenience. For more information, contact SKCM(SW) Sanchez at ext. 2791/1368.

NMCRS Volunteer Opportunities

Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society has volunteer opportunities for receptionists, caseworkers, public speaking, thrift shop, etc. Learn some new job skills and make new friends. NMCRS pays for childcare and mileage. For more information, call ext. 1614.

Red Cross Volunteer Opportunities

The American Red Cross has volunteer opportunities for those interested in becoming Station Chairperson or Records Chairperson. For more information, call ext. 2368 or ext. 4712.

Report a crime

If you see a crime, you can report it anonymously by calling the Rota Crime-Line at ext. 2688. A security officer reviews recordings daily. All emergencies should be reported to ext. 2911.

PA systems available

If you need a public address system for a change of command, awards ceremony, or other official function, call the Public Works Department Trouble Desk at ext. 2347 and the equipment will be brought to your site, set up for operation, and removed at the conclusion of the function.

Air Terminal Parking

The overflow parking at the Naval Station Air Terminal will be closed until April 27 for renovations. Arrangements must be made to store your vehicle with Security at ext. 2001. For more information on the Air Terminal, call P.O. Lackner or P.O. Peabody at ext. 1874.

EDUCATION

University of Oklahoma

The University of Oklahoma is now enrolling students for the Core Class, Introduction to Graduate Studies in Human Relations. Class dates are from Jun. 5 - Jun. 10. The enrollment deadline is May 7, 2001. Contact the Rota OU field coordinator for more information at ext. 2799 or by e-mail at aprota@ou.edu.

UMUC Bullfight Seminar

Come learn the Spanish tradition of "The Bullfight," and receive 1 semester hour of college credit. The class will be held on Apr. 28 and May 5 from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Enroll today. Call ext. 2917 for more information.

UMUC Academic Advisor Visit

Questions about your degree plan, degree requirements, evaluation, or transfer credit? Here is your chance to get them answered in person by a representative from Heidelberg. A University of Maryland Academic Advisor will be in Rota for the week of May 14. Appointments can be scheduled by stopping by the office in Bldg. 52, or call ext. 2993.

City Colleges of Chicago

Do you need a Social Science class to finish up your degree? Try Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Government, Psychology or Sociology at City Colleges of Chicago-Europe. Do you want to improve your basic English and Math skills? CCC-E offers English and Math courses designed to prepare you for a college career. Registration is open and continuous, so you can sign up for any class at anytime. For more information on City Colleges of Chicago's

distance education program, contact your CCC-E Field Representative at ext. 2574, or cccc_rotal@hotmail.com.

DGF Book Fair

"DIVE INTO READING" at the bigger-than-ever-before DGF Book Fair!! There will be a selection of Scholastic books to choose from that appeal to all children. Make a positive difference in your child's life by giving them the gift of a great book, or two! Books make great gifts for teachers too. DGF teachers will have wish lists available for your convenience. The Book Fair hours will be: Apr. 23 from 3:30-7 p.m.; Apr. 24 - 25 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., and 6 - 7:30 p.m.; Apr. 26 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Books will range in price, but the average price is \$3. The Book Fair is sponsored by the DGF PTSA and is open to everyone in the community. It will be held in Room 1614 at DGF Elementary. For more information, contact Lisa Coe at ext. 4218, or Nancy Callegari at 956-48-2229.

NCLC

The Navy College Learning Center offers free, computer-based courses in a variety of academic and practical subjects to active-duty members, retirees, reservists, DoD civilians, and their adult family members. For more information about the courses available and how they can help you reach your goals, visit the office in Bldg. 52, or call ext. 3070.

Box tops for Education

Keep saving your General Mills "Box Tops for Education" found on cereals and snacks. You can drop them off at the Commissary, Library, DGF Elementary School, JAMS or the CDC. DGF Elementary School benefits from your support. Contact Jeanie Ephron at ext. 4473 for more information.

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WEEKEND MOVIES

FRIDAY, APRIL 13

To Kill A Mockingbird - Atticus Finch, a lawyer in the Depression-era South, fights to defend a black man against an undeserved rape charge. Soon, Finch has to fight just as hard to protect his kids against small town prejudice. Starring Gregory Peck, Brock Peters, Robert Duvall, and Phillip Alford. (130 min, Drama, 1962, TV-G) **AFN 1:05 A.M.**

Broadway Danny Rose - Woody Allen is terrific as Danny Rose, a pathetic small-time manager who will do anything to boost the career of his client, an obnoxious, over-the-hill lounge singer. Starring Woody Allen, Mia Farrow, Nick Apollo Forte, and Milton Berle. (120 min, Comedy, 1984, TV-PG) **AFN 3:30 A.M.**

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

The 10 Commandments
Spectrum celebrates Easter with vivid storytelling at its best. Anyone who's ever been to Sunday School or any form of Christian Church knows the story of the Ten Commandments and Moses' struggle to free the slaves in Egypt. In this epic film version the differences in story are miniscule if present at all. Director and master showman Cecil B. DeMille brings to brilliant life an epic biblical adventure with beautiful sets, interesting costumes, eye-catching special effects and one of the greatest casts ever assembled. Starring Charlton Heston, Yul Brynner, Edward G. Robinson, Yvonne De Carlo, Debra Paget, John Derek, Cedric Hardwicke, Vincent Price, John Carradine. (220 min, Biblical Epic, 1956, TV-G) **A2N 10 P.M.**

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

Disney's Rootin' Tootin' Roundup - Donald Duck busts broncos while cowpoke Goofy mends fences. Yup, they're ridin' the range and actin' strange in this wild Western collection of Disney cartoon classics... (120 min, Cartoon, 1999, TV-G) **AFN 1 P.M.**

Look Who's Talking - Mollie is a single mum who's on the lookout for a reliable and normal boyfriend. Her baby son Mikey, (unknown to her) seems to have a better idea of which of the men she dates would make a good father figure! Starring John Travolta, Kirstie Alley, Olympia Dukakis, and Bruce Willis. (120, Comedy, 1989, TV-PG) **AFN 10 P.M.**

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Today

3 p.m. Recess: School's Out (G)
6 p.m. 3000 Miles to Graceland (R)
8:30 p.m. 15 Minutes (R)

Friday

3 p.m. Recess: School's Out (G)
7 p.m. Save the Last Dance (PG-13)
9:30 p.m. 3000 Miles to Graceland (R)
Midnight: 15 Minutes (R)

Saturday

3 p.m. The Grinch (PG)
7 p.m. Get Over It (PG-13)
9:30 p.m. 3000 Miles to Graceland (R)
Midnight: 13 Days (PG-13)

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GATEWAY DRIVE IN

Friday 10 p.m. Get Over It (PG-13)

Saturday 10 p.m. Recess: School's Out (G)

Sunday 10 p.m. 3000 Miles to Graceland (R)



Get Over IT

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FREE!**



3000 Miles to Graceland

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G – General Audiences: All ages admitted.

PG – Parental Guidance Suggested: Some material may not be suitable for children

PG-13 – Parents Strongly Cautioned: Some material may be inappropriate for children under 13.

R – Restricted: Under 17 requires accompanying parent or adult guardian

MWR's Movie Info Line-ext. 2624.

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Get Over It (PG-13: for some crude/sexual humor, teen drinking & language) Romantic Comedy; Ben Foster & Kirsten Dunst (93 min.) How can a guy survive in a world where ex-girlfriends exist? After getting unexpectedly dumped by his high school sweetheart, this guy goes to great lengths to win her back! Of course, she's moved on and taken up with a new kid. And, as soon as he stops moping about his break up, he even finds a young woman who might help him-get over it!

13 Days (PG-13: for brief strong language) Drama; Kevin Costner & Bruce Greenwood (138 min.) What happened in October 1962, when the Soviets decided to install nuclear missiles in Cuba? Watch the urgency, suspense and paralyzing chaos of the Cuban Missile Crisis unfold through the eyes of one of President John F. Kennedy's trusted aides.

Recess: School's Out (G: for general audiences) Animated; Voices of: Andy Lawrence & Rickie D'Shon Collins (83 min.) The school year is finally over, and TJ is looking forward to a fun-filled summer. Boredom quickly sets in until he uncovers a scheme headed up by the former principal who plans to use a laser to alter the weather and eliminate summer vacation altogether by creating permanent winter. TJ calls in his friends for help in stopping the madman!

The Grinch (PG: for crude humor and comic violence) Comedy; Jim Carrey & Molly Shannon (105 min.) He's a mean one, that Mr. Grinch. Annoyed by those happy Whos, he decides to deprive them of their favorite holiday, Christmas, only to find that the spirit of the season goes much deeper than tinsel and toys.

3000 Miles to Graceland (R: for strong violence, sexuality and language) Thriller; Kevin Costner & Kurt Russell (120 min.) Posing as Elvis impersonators, a gang of ex-cons carry out a carefully planned Las Vegas casino robbery with near perfection. But, the body count is high, the casino is in ruins, and dissension among the five thieves leads to betrayal, chaos and greed.

15 Minutes (R: for violence, language and sexuality) Thriller; Robert DeNiro & Edward Burns (120 min.) A superstar NYPD homicide detective joins forces with a young NY Fire Department arson investigator to track down a pair of Eastern European killers on a rampage through the city. But, the unpredictable and clever immigrants quickly learn how to use the celebrity of their two pursuers in an explosion of media and judicial madness.

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AUTOS

1986 VOLVO 340, very good condition, just passed ITV. \$1,300. Call 956-873296 or 670 313866.

1998 FORD GALAXY MINIVAN: Euro specs., seats 7, well maintained. 5 speed, A/C, dual airbags, power everything. Comfortable, reliable, versatile family transportation. \$9000 negotiable. Call Ext. 4906 or 667-37-4214.

1988 RENAULT 4TL: Manual transmission. Excellent condition. \$1500. Please call Michele at Ext. 4967.

1988 ALFA ROMEO 33: runs well. 41500. Call PO2 Christine Harris at Ext. 2600 or 606-70-3163.

1991 VOLVO 440 GL: 4 door, power windows, 6 disc CD changer. \$4000. Call 956-82-4289.

1990 BMW 524TD: Like new, all taxes paid, European specs, 163K kilometers, PS/PB/A/C, AM/FM/Tape, dark metallic gray, immaculate condition, no rust. \$8300. Call 956-85-8973.

1994 RENAULT 2.1TD: Nevada station wagon, 142K kilometers, all taxes paid, outstanding condition, no rust, PS/PB/A/C, AM/FM/Tape, seats seven, great family car. \$4700. Call 956-85-8973.

1990 FORD ESCORT 1.6: 5 doors, ITV good to July 2001. Runs great. Asking \$1300 negotiable. Call Maria 956-81-1486.

1985 RENAULT 19 STATION WAGON: Great machine with lots of room. Better than a beater. ITV good until Mar 02. \$3,000 O.B.O.

Contact Andrew Dunn Ext. 4265 or dunnandrew@excite.com.

1986 SUZUKI SAMURAI: 50,000 miles, 4x4, light blue, hard top, 5 speed, CD player, U.S. specs, \$1850 OBO, call 4074 or 2569.

1993 RENAULT CLIO: Black, 1.2 liter, 5 speed, 2 door hatchback, radio/cassette, excellent condition, only 50K miles, first \$2,500 takes it. Call 4074 or 2569. Spanish Taxes paid.

1985 RENAULT GL5: Runs great, driven daily. ITV expires April '02. Insurance expires Nov '01. \$950 O.B.O. Call Tom at 3365 during working hours or 956-81-6379 evenings and weekends.

1987 PUEGOT 309 GL: New Tires New Belts! New Brakes! New Muffler! New Points, Cap New Oil/Filter! New Spark Plugs And Wires! Plus ITV valid until Sept 2001. Call Pepe @ 659-846-661 or 956-82-3365

1980 RENAULT: Runs great. New brakes. ITV good through 12/01. Insurance paid through 10/01. Call 3454 days or 85-5077 evenings.

EMPLOYMENT

Program Assistant, Child Development Center apply at the MWR Personnel Office Bldg. #1

Driver Cashier Checker, Pizza Villa. **Dining Room Cashier**, Champions

Booth apply at the MWR Personnel Office Bldg. #1

Cashier, Champions apply at the MWR Personnel Office Bldg. #1.

Recreation Aide, Wood Hobby

Shop apply at the MWR Personnel Office Bldg. #1.

MWR Emergency Hire Instructor, call ext. 2550.

MWR Family Care Providers, call X1618.

Transportation Clerk Passenger (O/A), GS-2102-04 apply at HRO, Bldg. 52.

Lead Transportation Assistant (Passenger), GS-2102-05 apply at HRO, Bldg. 52.

Computer Specialist, GS-0334-11 (NEMOC) apply at HRO, Bldg. 52.

Committee Chairperson volunteer for USA Girl Scouts Rota. Call Dianne Terrell x4300.

Program Director, R.C.C.: Apply at Navy Campus, Building 52 West.

The Navy Exchange is always accepting applications for employment of U.S. dependents. Apply at NEX Admin. Office or call ext. 3177.

For HRO employment information www.rota.navy.mil/hro

FOR SALE

ROUND KEROSENE HEATER, new wick. Plus 3, 6 gallon-16 oz. Containers. Great condition. \$90. Call Tony at 956-813537.

FURNITURE: Two full beds with frames, \$250 each. Sauder cherry wardrobe, \$100. Sofa and loveseat with new covers, \$250. Butano heater with bottle, \$60. Call 676-21-5489.

DRESSES: Two beautiful girls Sevillana dresses, sizes 3 and 5 (green and white) and (turquoise and white). Women's Sevillana

dresses, blue and red (size 12), black and burgundy (size 12), orange and green (size 14), white (size 16), black (size 18). Call 696-926-004.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Waterbed, \$50. 32" TV, 400. Microwave, \$150. Futon, \$150. Call 956-84-1681.

BUTANO HEATER: With bottle, \$35. Extra butano bottle, \$15. Fireplace tool set and front safety grill, \$20. Call 956-85-8973.

FURNITURE: Hide-a-bed couch, light brown corduroy material; \$85. Matching overstuffed chair and ottoman; \$35. Solid oak dining set, leaf, four chairs; \$400. Call 956-85-8973.

STEREO: 2 Infinity SM 152 Speakers 300W per channel paid 600, asking 400. 2 Infinity SM 125 Speakers 250W per channel paid 500 asking 300. Infinity center channel speaker paid 250, asking 150. Cerwin Vega HT 10 150W powered subwoofer paid 350, asking 250. 2 Acoustic Research 150W rear channel speakers paid 200, asking 100. Pioneer VSX-D704 receiver 130x2 110x5 paid 800, asking 400. Pioneer PDM650 six disc changer paid 230, asking 120. Pioneer CTW501R Dual cassette deck paid 170, asking 80. Kenwood GE7030 Equalizer paid 300 asking 200. Total paid 3400, asking 2000. I would like to sell as a package deal will sell all for \$1800 call Tony at 824066 before 4 p.m. or e-mail at shekinah@itotal.net.

PINE DINING TABLE w/4 chairs \$50. Butano heater w/bottle & regulator \$400 Call Tom at 3365 during working hours or 956-81-6379 evenings and weekends.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Light oak dining room table with 6 chairs and china cabinet- good condition- \$250.00. 3 portable electric heaters- 220 V- \$10 each Oscillating floor fan- 220 V- \$10. Call 3454 days or 85-5077 evenings.

HOUSES/ APARTMENTS

For rent: Costa Ballena - 10 minutes/10 Km. From the Rota Gate. Furnished/unfurnished townhouse: 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, parking for 2 cars, fireplace. Next to the beach. Luxury resort with pool and yard. 100,000 ptas./mo. negotiable. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

For rent: Two floor penthouse apartment. 3 bedrooms, 140 sq. meters. 2 large balconies, very large and nicely furnished kitchen. Enclosed garage. Owner asking 120,000 ptas. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

Need a house? Lot's of houses to rent; we'll find what you want. No rental fees, no language barrier. We rent, sell and build houses. American management. Your satisfaction is our best publicity. 956-543755 or 610-753503. Call us anytime.

For rent: 3 bedroom apartment on Avda. Diputación. Nicely furnished kitchen with all the appliances. Close to the Ocean. Private parking. Owner asking 80,000 ptas. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

For rent: Furnished townhouse perfect for a single. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, air conditioning, American hot water heater, ceiling fans. Completely furnished. Just bring yourself.

80,000 ptas. Negotiable. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

For rent: Townhouse in El Manantial, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, furnished kitchen, living/dining room. 200 meters from the beach. 70,000 pesetas/mo. Includes parking and community fees. Call 956-841100.

For rent: Large 3 bedroom townhouse in newer part of Rota. Has basement, parking, visiting roof. Excellent condition. Very new. 135,000 ptas. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

For rent: 3 bedroom single family home in the country. Great kitchen cabinets, large yard and enclosed garage. Owner asking 80,000 ptas. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

For rent: Just built townhouse in a very nice, new area of Rota. 3 bedrooms, baths, new kitchen cabinets, parking and great neighborhood. 100,000 ptas./mo. negotiable. Call CENTURY 21 Agin 2000 at 956-846221.

LOST & FOUND

CELL PHONE LOST It is black and white (looks like a cow). It was lost last Saturday out in town and am hoping that someone has it and so kindly would turn it in. Please contact Karen Martin at Ext. 3651 or 956 84 1170.

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Language exchange: Would like to exchange English classes for Spanish classes. Call José at 956-561519.

Dog Training Collars for sale: One is an electronic collar for obedience training, the other is for control of barking. Both are brand new, made by Tri-Tronics of Tucson, AZ, one of the best brands of electronic dog collars in the world! "Companion" (obedience) \$200.00, "Bark Limiter" \$100.00. Each collar comes with excellent instruction manuals and video. Batteries available at NEX. Call Bruce: 606 172 113, bquigley@bbvnet.com.

Are you new in town? Do you feel confused in a Spanish environment? I offer my services as a translator: business, documents etc. Contact Tif 656183102 E-mail juanjoarizes@yahoo.com

Need furniture restored, re-finished, or painted? Call José Manuel at 627-578083. Also, wall treatments, faux finishes etc.

Intensive Spanish Courses: All levels - Trinity School. For information, call 956-871926.

WANTED

JOGGING STROLLER: I am looking for a used jogging stroller and a used triplet stroller. Please call Kira at 956-88-5826.

VAN: 1998 or newer, American Specs. Call Jose at 956-85-2286.

PRAYERS

Lord, let me take each day as coming from you. To give it back to you with Your Will complete. And, dear Lord, let me be kind, let me never be discouraged or feel sorry for myself, because You stand beside me — every day.
Amen Jess López.

POVs ready for pick-up

Anigobgu, R. E. Borlaza, I. H.

Clinton, K. G. Davis, R. M.

Holliday, R. E. Huskey, J. W.

Rice, A. T. Slezak, S. S.

How to place a Classified Ad

Free classified ads are available to all TEI 'Spanish ID' card holders, including active duty U.S. military members, DoD civilian employees, and their family members. Free classified ads are limited to 25 words or less and are restricted to non-commercial goods and services.

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coastline@navsta.rotanavy.mil

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BULLS

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months, or reduction in rate. Punishment via court-martial can result in a bad conduct discharge from the armed forces, six months of confinement with forfeiture of pay and allowances.

Area Running of the Bulls schedule

On Easter Sunday Arcos de la Frontera, Vejer, Los Barrios, Paterna de Rivera and Benamahoma, towns in the province of Cadiz, host Running of the Bulls festivities.

? **In Arcos and Paterna** the "Running of the Bull" is called "Toro del Aleluya" "The Hallelujah bull", it was hallelujah Saturday when this tradition started in the 19th century. In Arcos, the first bull will be let loose at noon and the second at 3 p.m.

? **In Vejer and Los Barrios** the feast is called "Toro Embolao." The name comes from the name of the two bulls placed on the horns of the bull to prevent the goring of people.

? **In Benamahoma** is called "Toro de Cuerda." "Bull on a rope"

? **In Alcala del Valle**, also in the province of Cadiz, Easter Sunday is celebrated with the procession of Easter Cakes and "Saint John's Race." Local young men at high speeds through the streets carry the image of the saint until they come across the Virgin Mary and inform her of the Resurrection of Christ. Deeply rooted tradition of enacting Easter scenes.

? **U.S. military personnel are not authorized to run with the bulls.** Members are authorized to attend the celebrations as spectators. Streets are lined with wooden barriers, and spectators crowd the streets, balconies and terraces making it difficult to find a safe place, go early in the morning to find a safe place to watch them.

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All irrigation and car washing activities are strictly prohibited during these three days. Public Works officials are urging community members to practice water conservation to the fullest. While showering, they are asking on-base residents to follow the Navy guidelines to wet, lather and rinse, and to turn off the water while brushing teeth. For more information, call PW Utilities at ext. 2329.

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gram feature that protects Internet surfers from exposure to drugs, sex, and violence, said Burns.

The special program is a security add-on to the proxy-server, which acts as the interpreter between the computer and webpages on the Internet, said Ruben Cremades, ISD systems maintainer. When the computer stumbles onto a webpage containing depictions of sex, drugs, or violence, the security program tells the proxy-server not to access the webpage for the computer, said Cremades.

"It's very difficult to find a webpage that can override the system," said Cremades. "It's a powerful tool for forbidden access."

JAMS has taken additional computer safety precautions in their facilities.

"We understand that no system is perfect, so staff is on the floor and in a position to monitor computer use," Burns said.

Parents and children are also required to sign a contract concerning computer use at JAMS and staff members instruct the school-age children about Internet safety before going on-line.

Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) received a grant for the computers through BUPERS, and Naval Station's ISD installed the lines and provided the labor for installation and connection, Burns said.

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SPORTS BRIEFS

The Rota Hash House Harriers will be running on Saturday, April 21. We will meet at the parking lot by the Rota gate at noon. Contact Kris Runaas at 956-48-2147 or krnaas@hotmail.com.

Free Golf Lessons at the MWR Golf Course, Tuesdays for the ladies, 11 a.m. until noon and Wed. & Fri. for everyone, noon - 1 p.m. Call ext. 2260 for more info.

Earth Day Run, April 20, 12:00 noon, at the gym.

Spring Break Junior Golf Camp April 9-23 at the Rota Golf Course. Fee is \$10. The camp is for ages 8-17. For times call ext. 2260.

Boys Scouts Golf Tournament Boy Scout Troop 73 is holding a golf tournament on April 21, 2001. The format is four-person scramble. Sign up at 9 a.m., and tee off is at 10 a.m. Entry fee is \$15 plus green fees. Come support the Boy Scouts. Call ext. 2336 or ext. 4733, or the golf course at ext. 2260.

20th Popular Cross Chiclana will hold its Popular Cross on Saturday, April 21, 6 p.m. Different categories, prizes and trophies for winners. Sport supplies will be raffled between the participants. For information, call ext. 2813.

Madrid Marathon On April 29, the Mapoma Association will hold their 24rd "Maraton Popular de Madrid" starting at 9:30 a.m. It is run on an urban course of 42,195 meters. The finish line will close at 3 p.m. Entry fee until April 24, costs 5,000 pesetas, from April 25-28, the price is 9,000 pesetas. For more information call ext. 2813.

5th Half Marathon "Castillo de Albero" The Alcala de Guadaira Half Marathon will take place on April 22. The distance is 21,097 meters. The race will start and finish at Urbanizacion Castillo de Alcala, c/ Castillo de Marchenilla, at 9:30 a.m. The finish line closes at noon. Admission: 750 pesetas. The last day for registration, is April 19. For more information, call, ext. 2813.

DGF competes in Track and Field meet at Aloha College

Acie Sabb
DGF High School

The DGF High track team had an outstanding performance at the Aloha College Track and Field Meet, in Marbella, Spain, April 4.

The group came away with more 1st-3rd place finishes than the other 4

schools participating. Students could run in higher grade levels but not lower than their grade.

Other schools that participated include: Aloha College, Alboran, EIC and SotoGrande.

Coach Sabb says "I am extremely proud of not only the way the athletes performed but also the very positive

manner in which that represented the Rota NAVSTA Community."

The next scheduled track meet will be a Unit or Commands Meet in which NAVSTA units and commands can enter teams to compete, April 21, 10am-4pm, at the DGF Track. Call Ben Anderson at 3919 or Acie Sabb at 4601 for more information.



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Todd Chatterton tees off during the Rota Golf Association Masters Pick-a-Pro tournament. Results: 1st - Mike Basnight and Cleo Cedeno; 2nd - Stephen Bowers and Donald Harper; 3rd - Tony Harris and Tiger Black; Pappy Whiddon and Randy Wojtala.

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DGF soccer team outclasses opponents

Scot Wilson

"This year, DGF, Navsta, and the Hospital are my choices to come in at the top," said Dr. Potts, a veteran of Base League play, and one of the central members of the Hospital squad, of this year's base soccer league. Of course.

Well, these predictions seem to be very soundly made, as all three teams show solid skill and are very experienced. However, there are some wild card teams with the ability to stage an upset, so this could be an interesting season. Here is the break down of the second week of match play.

Navsta played VQ-2 in a match

that could be described, at best, as one-sided. However, to be perfectly fair, it was not even a match. Navsta seemed unstoppable, their defense all but impenetrable, but they did not have too hard a time, because of whom they were up against. However, in all fairness, VQ-2 had some players who knew how to move, and they did not have a full team, therefore, the loss was to be expected. They performed well, within their means of performing, and may be a strong side when their ranks are filled.

In the next match, DGF squared off against AMC. AMC took the lead in the first half, despite weak mid-field play and lack

of a player who could actually control the ball. They had a very strong, very quick defense, however, and some players who, despite not having loads of quality, had the ability to play the game, and the ability to control because of their experience. In the second half, play looked flat from both sides, and no one was clearly in control. However, DGF got a goal back, and from then on it was over, as DGF tore away time and time again at the faltering AMC defense. The final score was 5-1, but the score was not indicative of how well AMC comported themselves on the field, nor of their quality.

NSGA beat NMCB-40 by a score of 3-0, and showed that they (NSGA, that is) are definitely a team to look out for. In fact, they looked to be one of the strongest teams in the league.

On the second night of the week, NSWU-10 shattered the theory that NEMOC may have as strong a team this year as they did two years ago. In fact, NSWU-10 won 5-2, and played quite convincingly. NSGA beat AMC in a goal fest of a game, with the final tally coming to 8-1. (OUCH!) DGF then handily defeated VQ-2 in another goalie's nightmare, this game ending 7-1.

The teams in the lead of the league are DGF, NSGA, NAVSTA. DGF as always, outclasses its opponents.



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Naval Station beat NEMOC, 3 - 1 in knock-down, drag-out Captain's Cup soccer action Monday night.

MWR Sports Results Week Ending April 6, 2001 Soccer League			
April 2	VQ vs. NAVSTA	NAVSTA	3-1
April 2	DGF vs. AMC	DGF	5-1
April 2	NMCB-40 vs. NSGA	NSGA	3-0
April 4	NSWU-10 vs. NEMOC	NSWU-10	5-2
April 4	AMC vs. NSGA	NSGA	8-1
April 4	VQ-2 vs. DGF	DGF	7-1
Standings as of Mar. 30, 2001			
1. DGF (3-0)	6. MARINES (0-1)		
2. NSGA (3-0)	7. AMC (0-2)		
3. NAVSTA (2-0)	8. NEMOC (0-2)		
4. Hospital (1-0)	9. NMCB-40 (0-2)		
5. NSWU-10 (1-1)	10. VQ-2 (0-2)		

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